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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a utility patent is sought on the invention entitled:

NOVEL POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING SAME

the specification of which was filed on November 29, 2001, as United States non-provisional application U.S.S.N. 09/997,425, bearing Attorney Docket No. 21402-175 CIP (CURA-475 CIP).

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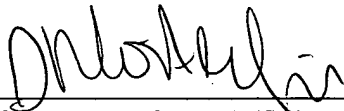
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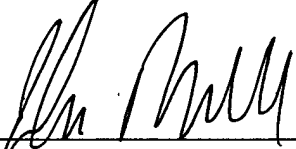
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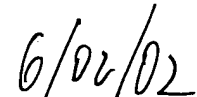
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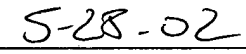
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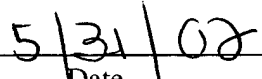
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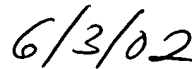
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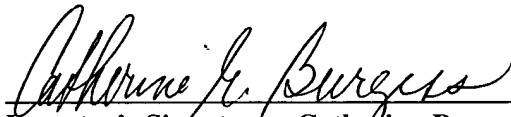
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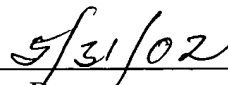
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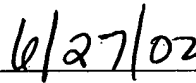
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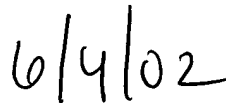
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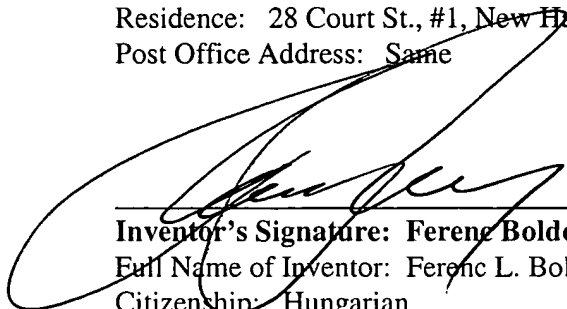
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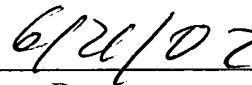
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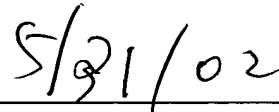
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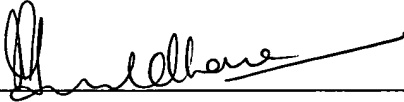
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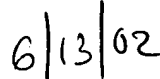
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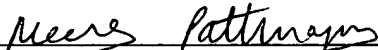
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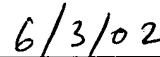
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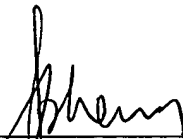
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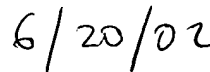
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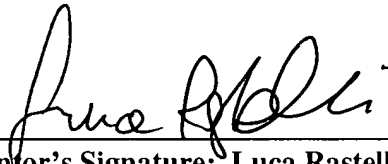
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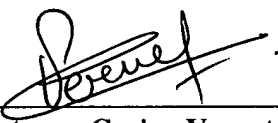
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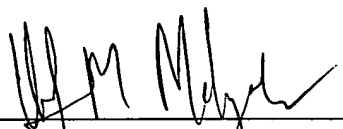
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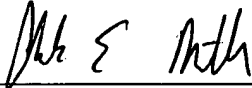
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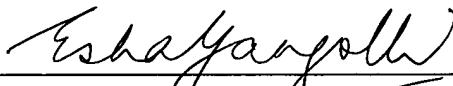
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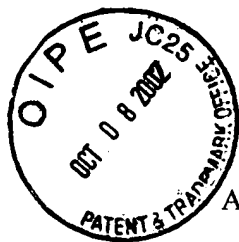


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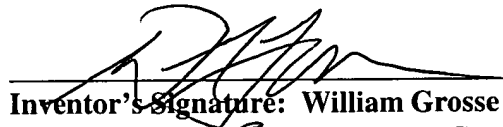
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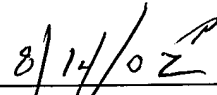
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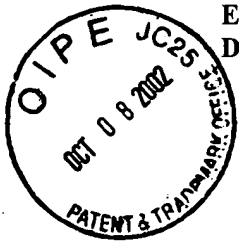
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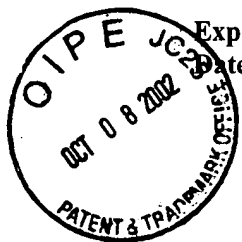
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